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August 7, 1998

Mr. Vernon Williams Secretary Surface Transportation Board 1925 K Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20423-0001

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Dear Mr. Williams:

Enclosed are two (2) originals of the Memorandum of Locomotive Lease Agreement dated as of June 26, 1997 which is intended to evidence Schedule No. 17 dated as of June 26, 1997, to the Master Locomotive Lease Agreement dated as of May 5, 1994 between the following parties:

Lessor:

Helm Financial Corporation

One Embarcadero Center, Suite 3700

San Francisco, CA 94111

Lessee:

Canadian Pacific Railway Company

401 9th Avenue, S.W., Gulf Canada Square

Calgary, Alberta, CANADA T2P 4Z4

The equipment involved in this transaction is as follows:

Equipment:

Five (5) locomotives as more fully described

in Annex A to the memorandum.

Please file this memorandum as a primary document and return one (1) stamped original to my attention. A check covering the filing fee of twenty-six dollars (\$26.00) is enclosed.

Sincerely,

Document Administrator

Enclosures (2)

RECORDATION NO. 215 FILED

MEMORANDUM OF LOCOMOTIVE LEASE AGREEMENT

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THIS MEMORANDUM OF LOCOMOTIVE LEASE AGREEMENT ("Memorandum of Lease") dated as of June 26, 1997 is intended to evidence Schedule No. 17 dated as of June 26, 1997, to the Master Locomotive Lease Agreement dated as of May 5, 1994 ("Lease") between HELM FINANCIAL CORPORATION, a California corporation ("Lessor"), and CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY, a Canadian corporation ("Lessee"), for the purpose of satisfying the requirements of recordation with the Surface Transportation Board of the Department of Transportation under Section 49 of U.S.C. 11301. Lessor has the right to lease the locomotives more fully described in each Schedule to the Lease (the "Unit(s)") and in Annex A attached hereto and hereby made a part hereof. Lessee leased from Lessor all the Units at the rentals and upon the terms and conditions provided in the Lease and the Schedules.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Lessor and Lessee, each pursuant to due corporate authority, has executed this Memorandum of Lease as of the day and year first above written.

LESSOR

LESSEE

HELM FINANCIAL CORPORATION

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

Print Name: Richard C. Kirchner

Its:

President

Print Name: E-V-XODGE

Its: EXECUTIVE VICE-PRESIDENT

OPERATIONS

ANNEX A

TO THE MEMORANDUM OF LEASE DATED JUNE 26, 1997

Equipment Description:

Five (5), SD40-3 locomotives.

<u>Unit Numbers</u>

HLCX 6090

HLCX 6091

HLCX 6092

HLCX 6500

HLCX 6504

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) s.s. COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO)
On My 1998, before me, Eric W. John personally appeared Richard C. Kirchner, President of HELM FINANCIAL CORPORATION,
personally known to me -OR-
proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity (ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.
WITNESS my hand and official seal.
ERIC W. STOLL Commission # 1174431 Notary Public - California San Francisco County My Comm. Expires Feb 22, 2002
(Notarial Seal)
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA)) S.S.
CITY OF CALGARY)
On this 5 day of Nay ,1998, before me Donald Frederick Downhordt, personally appeared Edwin Yemon Dodge , Exec. Vice Pres. of CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY,
personally known to me -OR-
proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity (ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.
Witness my hand and official seal.

SIGNATURE OF COMMISSIONER OF OATHS

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